

House Resolution No. 4292

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives always welcome the opportunity to acknowledge special events experienced by Show-Me State residents who have been blessed by exceptionally long and productive lives; and

Whereas, born on October 8, 1908, Warren E. Carr will celebrate his One Hundredth Birthday with a gathering of family members and friends at the Scottish Rite Cathedral in Joplin, Missouri, on October 10, 2008; and

Whereas, after an enjoyable childhood filled with all types of educational and rewarding activities, Warren Carr established a family of his own through his joyful marriage to Allene Carr, who loved and cherished him with all of her heart until death separated them; and

Whereas, the marital union of Warren and Allene Carr was blessed with a wonderful child, Warren "Duke" Carr; three grandchildren; and one great-grandchild; and

Whereas, Warren Carr became a Missouri DeMolay in 1926 and is the oldest living Senior DeMolay member in the state of Missouri and was selected by the Southwest Missouri Chapter of the Order of DeMolay to be its Honorary Chapter Dad by a unanimous vote of its members on July 15, 2007; and

Whereas, Warren Carr also is the oldest living active Master Mason in the 45th Masonic District of Missouri, a 33rd Degree Scottish Rite Mason, a member of Lodge #335 and Lodge #345, the chaplain for Lodge #471, and a member of Oronogo Eastern Star and White Shrine; and

Whereas, the One Hundredth Birthday of Warren Carr will be celebrated not only by his fellow Masons, but also by two Masonic youth groups, DeMolay for boys and Rainbow for girls; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives pauses to commemorate momentous events in the lives of such stellar citizens as Warren Carr:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the joyous arrival of the One Hundredth Birthday of Warren Carr and to convey to him this legislative body's heartiest congratulations upon attaining such a rare milestone in life and our best wishes for many more celebratory events in the future; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Warren E. Carr of Joplin, Missouri.

Offered by _____

Representative Kevin Wilson
District No. 130

Representative Ronald F. Richard
District No. 129

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 4292, adopted October 2, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker